For this section-Fair today and tomorrow, cooler today; moderate west and northwest winds.

High tide tomorrow, 12:12 a. m. and 12:49 p m.

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48 LIVES

King and Queen counties.

be more than doubled.

several weeks.

southeast of the city, at a cost of

Lynchburg.-Wonder is still being

expressed in eastern Campbell County

over the disappearance last Novem-

about Thanksgiving Day. This, de-

spite the fact that the country for

miles was searched for his body for

Passenger Steamer Goes Down 30 Minutes After Grounding On Reef.

12 BODIES LANDED

166 Survivors-Fog Responsible for ber of Pat Johnson, a farmer from Accident - Work All Thruogh whom nothing has been heard since

Eureka, Cal., Aug. 8 .- Fortyeight persons, 36 passengers and 12 of the crew, were lost last night when the steamer Alaska, of the of the Portland, Oregon, to San Francisco, nent farmer from near Middleburg, sank 30 minutes after crashing in won over his two opponents, Joseph to the rocks of Blunts Reef, 40 M. Martin and John O. Daniel. Mr. nearby counties.

Head of the day visiting morning and spend the day visiting morning and spend the day visiting morning and spend the smaller towns and villages of the nearby counties.

Considering the number of disabmiles south of this city.

the rescue ship Anyox, the first vessel to reach the scene of the wreek in response to the Alaska's radio signals. The Coast Guard tug Ranger, dispatched early today from Eureka, returned to port with the tendered his old position as deputy The survivors, numbering 166 per radio signals, The Coast Guard tug
Ranger, dispatched early today from
Eureka, returned to port with the
bodies of 12 men. Eight were memwhich he accepted. Bradley's election
bodies of 12 men. Eight were mem-

counted for and is believed to have gone down with his ship.

Of the survivors landed by the Anyox, 30 were more or less seriously injured and received medical tors maintain that the sales in July were below those of July were below those of July

The Alaska struck the reef bow on in a dense fog, according to the survivors and immediately beauty until picked up.

when the last of ket picnic, for which plans have been the lifeboats had been sent over the in the making for several months. It on this big sale day. side of the rapidly filling Alaska, went to the stern of his vessel and he was there when it started its plunge to the bottom.

Praise was maturally county. Good speaking, games, etc.,

Praise was mutually extended be are promised for the day. tween members of the crew and passengers in their stories of the Norfolk.—The annual S scenes following the crash. Despite the isolating terror on the ship which was enveloped in fog with the which was enveloped in fog with the ing spray from ragged rocks of the ed to be an important one and delereef, calmness prevailed among the gates from all parts of the State will passengers and crew. It was a short attend the sessions, which are world being between held in the Woodmen of the World here.

Owing to the limited time howsinking. But without signs of disorder the passengers were helped in

TO ELECT DELEGATES

Elks Tonight Will Also Hear port en Frisco Convention

Alexandria Lodge No. 758, Benevo tent and Protective Order of Elks, to in Charlottesville September 9 and Judge Jesse West to sit at Lawrence-

At this meeting reports will be grand jury was called at the request Francisco. The delegates were Geo. A. Kaus and W. H. P. Kelly.

The lodge also will have a social session following an initiation.

Noted Musician Visitor Here.

Alfred H. Wertheim, son of Max Wertheim, formerly of Metropolitan Opera Company, of New Y was a recent visitor of C. Schwab, and while here played the Methodist Church.

Mr. Wertheim appeared as so- Grove, provided free by Charles A.

loists with the National Symphony Orchestra last season, and was read-ily acclaimed America's foremost Petersbur

Recent critiques from musical editors of the North comment on editors of the Norm comments which his marvelous tonal quality, which is said to be equalled by Kreisler while his powers of feeling and interpretation are cited as the "main-springs of a divine geniyus."

ALEXANDRIAN INJURED IN sergeant of Wakefield, last week, AUTO CRASH

Washington, D. C., Aug. 8 .- A collision at Fourth and Pennsylvania Avenue, Southeast, between the ma-chine of Alden Bates, 2620 Nichols chine of Alden Bates, 2620 Nichols
Avenue Southeast, and Kemper Hardy, 415 Eleventh street Southeast, resulted in the destruction of both cars and injuries to three persons. Albert Morris, 17 years old, of Alexandria, Va., was treated at Casualty Hospital for severe lacerations of the legs. Florence Bates, was removed to Casualty suffering from shock and bruises about the body. Mrs. Lizzie Hardy, 40 years body. Mrs. Lizzie Hardy, 40 years old, was treated at Casualty for a Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore. lacerated arm.

ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE,

MONDAY, AUGUST 8, 1921

BOOSTER TRIP TO AID WAR State News Fredericksburg .- E. N. Helsabeck has announced himself an independent candidate for the house of delegates in November election from the legislative district composed of Essex and

terday for the erection of a duplicate of the present Viscose silk mill plant, To Participate In Affair. more than \$1,000,000. The two additional units will employ a force of 1,700, and the output of the plant will

BY CITY AD CLUB.

To Boost Coming Dollar Day Sale, Measure Ready for Harding-Imporand Induce Shoppers of Places Visited To Buy In Alexandria.

Leesburg. — Much interest was shown in the recent primary election men and earnest boosters of Alexor of the sick and disabled soldiers and shown in the recent primary election men and earnest boosters of Alex-for the nominaiton as delegate from andria will take part in the first of sailors of the World War. This is he graduated. It is one of the salient ship Company, southbound from Loudoun county. Harry Keen, a promi-portland, Oregon, to San Francisco, nent farmer from near Middleburg, will leave Alexandria next Friday survivors will receive and of any

Keen's maority over his nearest op- nearby counties. the Advertising Club of Alexandria insist that the American Govern-and the Retail Merchants' Bureau of ment is according more generous the Chamber of Commerce is work-treatment in the matter of money, years deputy clerk of the corporation ing hand in hand with the club to rehabilitation and of hospitalization,

Ranger, dispatched early today from Ranger early Fairfax Hotel at 1 o'clock. After ready committed himself and one leaving Fairfax Courthouse, the cav-which he is expected to formally apalcade will cross the county to Occo-prove soon after his return from his quan, by way of Burke's Station, and will return to this city through Camp Humphreys and Accotink.

boats was accomplished without delay or disorder. Three of the boats successfully rode the waves, but the fourth was capsized, throwing its occupants into the sea. The greatest loss, survivors said, resulted from this mishap. A few who wore life belts succeeded in keeping afloat until picked up.

cord there this year than last year. July, always a dull month for realty transfers, this year saw sixty-two recordations.

Manassas.—Friday of this week, at the fair grounds, will be held the Prince William county rally and basum will distribute din each village along the route and the band will render a few selections at each stop along the way. Several of the merchants are planning to equip their cars with banners advertising their own particular business and some will distribute circulars show ing the many bargains that are to Manassas.—Friday of this week, at the fair grounds, will be held the merchants are planning to equip their cars with banners advertising and which nation wide their own particular business and (Conti be found at their particular stores

county. Good speaking, games, etc., vertise the city and to bring a and many other prominent officials crowd of shoppers from the smaller villages to Alexandria for Dollar the first annual meeting here next Norfolk .- The annual State camp Day.

A number of the mercahnts have been approached and asked to contribute a small amount toward printing of the circulars and the hiring of the band and all have gladly joined in the movement toward the passengers and crew. It was a short attend the sessions, which are to be biggest Dollar Day ever held

> state highways being built out of and anxious to join in the movement of S. F. Dyson and Bros., store, and hand in tehir names as wishing culverts on the new work. The conto become participants.

Distributing Center.

Selects Alexandria

Wednesday morning by a mob of night will elect ten delgates and ten alternates to the state convention of that organization which will be held grand jury, which has been called by a special grand jury and gran Brunswick and Dinwiddie county citimerce, have made Alexendria their chief distributing can'er. It is stated that from two hundred to five ville next Thursday. The special chief received from the delegates to the of Commonwealth's Attorney Lewis, national convention held in San of Brunswick. The wool will be distributed times. Fredericksburg.—The missing link to the trade of this section only the improved roal extending from Alexandria. One of the buildof the improved road extending from ings at the old brewery has been se-Kent's gate to the fees of Oakley nill, cured as the storage house for this road, in Spotsylvania county, was

Atlantic City, Aug. Hope Hampton, moving picture act of the Kohler and Fowler bills, ress, was badly buffeted by an excited throng of several thousand va-cationists when she assisted at the ceremonies attendant upon the chris tening of Atlantic City's first "bath ing machine," introduced by the Ritz Carlton Hetel on the Chelsea Petersburg.—That Will Elmore, the ing machine," introduced begro held in the Richmond jail in Ritz Carlton Hetel on the connection with the brutal murder of Beach yesterday afternoon.

Methodist Protestant Church.

and evening services. The pastor delivered two very helpful sermons, which were enjoyed very much by and they do not intend chancing jail Winchester.—Dr. Randolph Tucker Shields, a medical missionary of the Southern Presbyterian Church in China awiyed at Vanagura P. C.

come to all those who have no church home. Come and worship with us with us.

UNDER SWEET BILL

Treatment of Ex-Service

Men.

tant Changes Made In Provisions of Insurance Law.

The trip is under the direction of led men involved, high authorities

prove soon after his return from his New England vacation

For weeks the House and Senate on in a dense fog, according to the survivors, and immediately began to list. The work of launching lifeboats was accomplished without decord there this year than last year. By or disorder. Three of the boats signed to bring a degree of effic-iency and dispatch to that work stop along the way. Several of which has been lacking in the past has been the cause nation wide dissatisfaction.

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August 15, 16 and 17.

Lawn Fete Tonight.

Many novel features are planned Lynchburg.—Contractors on the every person who might be willing to the lawn of the every person who might be willing to the lawn of the every person who might be willing to the lawn of the every person who might be willing to the lawn of the every person who might be willing to the lawn of the every person who might be willing to the lawn of the every person who might be willing to the lawn of the every person who might be willing to the lawn of the every person who might be willing to the lawn of the every person who might be willing to the lawn of the every person who might be willing to the lawn of the every person who might be willing to the lawn of the every person who might be willing to the lawn of the every person who might be willing to the lawn of the every person who might be willing to the lawn of the every person who might be willing to the lawn of the every person who might be willing to the every person who might be will be at the every person who might be will be at the every person who might be will be at the every person who might b Young People's Building. The first Girl Scout pin worn by Mrs. Hard-

Shortage.

Orlando, Fla., Aug. 8 .- Joseph B. Elwell, New York sportsman and whist expert who was shot to death Virginia Wool Growers Association in his apartment in New York city following children. Wilson R. James, symptoms of the approaching food Selects Alexandria last year, loaned Miss Lena Clarke, of Camden, N. J., Rorer A. James, Jr., shortage. This, she said, is not the last year, loaned Miss Lena Clarke, West Palm Beach postmistress in his associate in the conduct of his paperesult of the crop failure, but of the jail here in connection with the shoot-1918 to cover shortage in the West Bruce R. James. Palm Beach postoffice, according to

of the coal companies cease second rested by Sergt. Campbell and Dur-rer charged with being drunk, for-

Kohler and Fowler acts are declared unconstitutional. The Price Pan-coast Company operating in three operations, announces it will close down its plant entirely, as there is only second mining possibly there.

It is stated that the Delaware,

widdle counties mob Wednesday morning may have been two of the six negroes who shot W. R. Harris, town in this city was the scene of Christian activity yesterday, there was a large attendance at both morning when he attempted to arrest them, is large attendance at both morning and evening services. The pastor and evening services. The pastor say that second mining comprises and evening services are helpful sermons. say that second mining comprises most of the work being done there sentences as the result of the laws that become effective this month.

The company will get out much virgin coal from newly opened tracts the constitutionality of the

acts is being contested. It is explained that by devoting its energies to this branch, more money will be made for the share holders and it is less expensive min ing than that of pillar robbing.

Rites for Colonel James.

whose sudden death of heart failure Roanoke.—Ground was turned yeserday for the erection of a duplicate

Twenty Autos and Band \$500,000,000 Available for the residence. The Rev. J. C. Hall will Mrs. service of the Episcopal Church, which Colonel James was a member and communicant. Interment will be in Greenhill Cemetery.

People are arriving from all parts of the State to attend the obsequies. Senator Swanson and Governor-Elect E. Lee Trinkle arrived on a late train, and the Congressional delegation arrived early this morning. The funeral design sent by Congress is a large Roman cross of roses.

He was born at Brosville 62 years ago, his father being John James, of the upper part of the county, his Headed by eight pieces of the Citizen's Band, in the neighborhood mately \$500,000,000 has been pledged Pittsylvania county. His early educamother being Miss Angele Rorer, of tion was at home and then he entered points of his career the devotion he showed to his alma mater. For ten years he was a member of the board of visitors, four years as chairman.

It is recorded, that once Colonei-James said that the height of his ambition was to be chairman of the V. M. I. board and few things pleased him more than his elevation to that posifor two years and was then elected and the requisitioning of grain for from Pittsylvania to the state senate for eight years. His political sagacity soon won for him a place in state affairs and the late Senator Thomas Martin early recognized his ability, Colonel James being one of his warmest supporters and close personal friends. In 1899 he purchased the pose and plans submitted by archi- on the public health, although tects only recently.

Mr. James was chairman of the Fifth District Democratic committee for many years and at the convention held at Roanoke was named chairman of the state Democratic Harding To Be Elks' Guest. committee by acclaim; this in 1920

from V. M. I. entered congress to suc ceed Edward W. Saunders, of Frank-lin county, who resigned to accept an appointment on the Virginia supreme court bench. This was early in the spring of 1919. Mr. James was nominated and elected for the short or unexpired term as well as the ensuing week of the Maryland Elks associa- from V. M. I. entered congress to suc tion. The convention will be held on ceed Edward W. Saunders, of Frank-Many novel features are planned expired term as well as the ensuing for the lawn fets which will be given full term in the sixty-sixth congress, full term in the sixty-sixth congress, ganization of the receiving stations. Ing the transfer from Indian Head sweeping the district by a substantial

To the members of his personal tion of officers and crew and lowered into the water.

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Meechum river and Crozet, Albemarle county, have let subcontracts to D. F.
Burnett and company of Lynchburg. for the building of small bridges and crew and lowered into the water.

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Girl Scout pin worn by Mrs. Harding will be shown.

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Dead Whist Expert Gave who respect that an employer the at once with Mr. Llevellyn Dyson, of S. F. Dyson and Bros., store, for the building of small bridges and state highways being built out of and anxious to join in the movement of the members of his personal staff at his newspaper office who respectively.

We man Money To Cover staff at his newspaper office who re- bread made of straw, potato parings garded Mr. James more as a friend and weeds.

Colonel James was married in the early nineties to Miss Annie Wilson basin with the British labor delega- drum under new rules for the sale of of Henry, who survives him with the tion a year ago, when she observed of Camden, N. J., Rorer A. James, Jr., shortage. ing of W. H. Miltimore, \$38,000 in James. One brother survives, Dr.

Police Court.

Thousands of Miners Out of Work August 27.

Only three cases were called for number of farm workers in Russia sale of liquor are expected to reduce had decreased 50 per cent since a colored man charged by Policeman Thompson and Durrer with vi
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This source of supply, which has forts of the county equipment and the residents of the neighborhood. This link is one of the best built pieces of road in the county. As many to the county are residents of the county. As many to the county are residents of the neighborhood. This link is one of the best built pieces of road in the county. As many to the county are residents of the neighborhood. This link is one of the best built pieces of road in the county. As many to the county are residents of the neighborhood. This link is one of the best built pieces of road in the county. As many to the county are residents of the neighborhood. This link is one of the best built pieces of road in the county. As many to the county are residents of the neighborhood. This link is one of the best built pieces of road in the county. As many to the county are residents of the neighborhood. This link is one of the best built pieces of road in the county. As many to the county are residents of the neighborhood. This link is one of the best built pieces of road in the county. As many to the county are residents of the neighborhood and the county are residents of the neighborhood. This link is one of the best built pieces of road in the county. As many to the county are residents of the neighborhood and the county are residents are residents. being drunk on the street forfeited Ringel, Daring Airman, feited \$5 collateral.

land Is Threatened By Sinn Fein.

Dublin, Aug 8 .- Repudiation of near-by town for the ceremony. the truce between England and Iresis; in its refusal to liberate John J. McKeown, a member of the Irish Republican Parliament, who is under conviction of murder. Responsible Sinn Fein leaders iden themselves with McKeown's act leaders identify part of the war and consider refusal to release him as indicating a want of good faith on the part of the Gov ernment.

in connection with McKeowns imprisonment is considered by Sinn Feiners to rest on him Strong efforts are being made today by in-fluential persons not connected with Sinn Fein, who fear consequences has been sent to see the Premier.

Rites for Colonel James. Funeral of Virginia Representative 12,000,000 Danville, Va., Aug. 8.—The funeral of Representative Rorer A. James. whose sudden death of heart failure

Harrison Declares Two-thirds of Russians On Hunger Rations.

CROPS ENDANGERED

She Predicts Food Situation Will Have Vital Bearing On Public Health-Polish Campaign Hurt.

bly will find 12,000,000 persons in the Volga basin actually starving and two-thirds of the entire popula-tion of Russia on hunger rations, according to Mrs. Marguerite E. Harrison, the Baltimore newspaper woman recently released from

international economic and political disintegration under Soviet rule, and also to the ravages of the internecine wars against Admiral Kolchak and General Wrangel, and to the drought What the drought failed to accom-1891. He served in the lower house plish conscription of farm hands

Republic, normally the granary of Russia, barely is able to sustain it advocates self. Siberia virtually is in the Head to same predicament. Neither region thorities. is willing to surrender grain to the famine sections, and migrations peasants as new proceding, complete halting the autumn planting, which constitutes a threat against next year's crops. The food situaagainst ing a new handsome newspaper plant, tion, Mr.: Harrison said, also will a lot having been cleared for this pur- have a swift and decisive bearing Russian sanitary crops had the cholera situation in hand when she left Moscow at the end of July.

Hagerstown, Md., Aug. 8.—President Harding, "Uncle Joe" Cannon and many other prominent officials have accepted invitations to attend the first annual meeting here next the first annual meeti

Famine conditions

told on all sides. It is called lebedya. In the Novenski prison where Harrison was detained the bread was news, of his death today came as stunning blow. A telephone message reporting him dead was the first received and in a few minutes the report had been confirmed.

Colonel James was married in the Colonel James was detained the oreal was maintained by the government on the Maryland side of the Potomac.

One of the three principal sources of supply for "bootleg" whiskey has been replaced by the Maryland side of the Potomac. Mrs. Harrison visited the

economic conditions prevailing since the beginning of the revolution. Dur-ing the Kolchak campaign the Volga provinces were overrun, with the re-This was one reason why the offic-

Elopes With Widow.

the elopement and marriage of Harry sumers. Ringel, known throughout the coun-Repudiation of Truce In Ireof St. Elmo, a suburb.

Accidents.

dren were injured last night and to- under the new rules. Commissioner day as the result of the invasion of Haynes has decided that there will the resort by thousands of motorists be only two kinds of wholesalers in

General Sir Nevil Mac Ready, in driving a pony cart when a heavy ma- the wholesale druggist be bona fide, command of the British froces in chine crashed into the vehicle at under the new regulations, but he Ireland, recently had a conference Rhode Island and French avenues. All must limit his whiskey business to

> was knocked down by a machine, whiskey he sells. In other words, driven by Wilson Victor, a New York the days of the fake wholesaler has salesman. The lad suffered a frac-ture of the ankle.

WASHINGTON DAY BY DAY

PRICE TWO CENTS

(From Our Special Correspondent.)

Washington, Aug. 8 .- Alexandrians will be interested in the proposition of the bureau of Ordnance of the Navy Department to transfer gun tests from Indian Head to Dahlgren, on the Virginia side of the Potomac. This suggestion, emaanting from the Navy Department is meeting with determined opposition from the Maryland delegation in Congress and especially from Sydney E. Mudd of that state who is a member of the Naval

Affairs Committee of the House. It has been represented at hearings before the Naval Affairs Committee that the five hundred civilian employees oppose the transfer to Dahlgren. They claim that they have purchased homes at Indian Head and that if they were compelled to move Berlin, Aug. 8.—The American across the Potomac the expense enterelief workers who are about to go into famine stricken Russia probations of the inconveniences to which they would be subjected.

Those who are fighting against the proposed transfer of the testing plant from Indian Head to Dahlgren claim that at the latter place there is no woman, recently released from that at the latter place there is no prison in Soviet Russia.

This Mrs. Harison attributes to called upon to spend millions for called upon to spend millions. deepening the Potomac River at this point in order that vessels might be afforded an appraoch to it.

"Vessels now anchor three miles away and barges are towed to Dahlgreen with the guns. Then will come other estimates for housing projects whereas the government has constructed two hundred homes at Indian Head," is the argument made by the advocates of the retention of Indian Head to the Navy Department au-

Representative Mudd who is leading the fight against any change admits that it might be satisfactory to test out the big 12-inch and 16-inch guns, fired at high angles at Dahlgren, as during the war, but it would be foolish to take all gun testing away from Indian Head, where it has been conducted successfully for more

than twenty years. Navy Department officials, in argu-The famine area begins between ing for a change in the testing plants Nizhni-Novgorod and Kazan on the claim that at Indian Head indivinorth and extends southward in a duals are liable to injury as the re-broad belt to Tsaritsin, on both sides sult of the fire of long range guns, of the Volga, embracing the Tartar They say that the Virginia site

Maryland delegation in Congress

of suffering are to Dahlgren will The peasants of matter until the Naval Affairs Com Tambov are reported to be eating mittee of the House has signified by its vote that it prefers to create at the Virginia location a gun testing plant in preference to the one now maintained by the government on

> Volga been closed more tightly than a intoxicants announced by Commissioner of Prohibtiion Haynes. Reduction of the amount of whiskey available in the United States by 5,000,000 gallons a year is estimated by prohibition enforcement officials to result from the new regulations.

While approximately 20,000,000 sult that the fields were not cultiva-sult that the fields were not cultiva-ted and the population scattered, being withdrawn from bonded warebeing withdrawn from bonded wareial figures for 1920 showed that the houses, the new restrictions on the

proven a gold mine for the bootleggers in the past, has been the constant drain and leak of whiskey legally manufactured and held in this country, but which, by devious Chattanooga, Tenn., Aug. 8.—An- hands of those who sell for \$10 a nouncement was made here tonight of quart or more to the thirsty con-

Since the advent of the prohibiman, and Mrs. Blanche West Allison, serious. Wholesalers and retailers of whiskey have suffered unaccountable The couple stole away late Thurs- and mysterious robberies and depleday evening and drove in a car to a tions in stock, the whiskey in question always finding its way to the bootleg market. Shipments of liquor land is considered a possibility should the British Government perof the supply of illegal booze, at \$10 a quart or more.

Atlantic City, Aug. 8 .- Five chil- But there is to be no more of this from all sections of the country.

Three girls, Katherine Martin, facturer and the other will be the Helen Kerr and Elenor McCann, were wholesale druggists. Not only must with Premier Lloyd George, and responsibility for the present situation fering from shock.

We will not be permitted to use his George Erickson, a messenger boy, drug business as a blind for the

Furthermore, in the future, when Thelma Aralmoxitz, 3 years old, whiskey is bottled, it must be bot-

Winchester .- Dr. Randolph Tucker

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struction is all to be of concrete.

Petersburg .- The lynching of Lem

Johnson, negro, for the murder of T.

W. Elmore at Tobacco, Va., early

road in the county. As many as

forty-four horses and mules and fifty

men worked and the helpers all en-

joyed the fine dinners in Oakley

negro held in the Richmond jail in

T. W. Elmore, postmaster and store-

keeper at Tobacco, Va., on Monday

night, and Lem Johnson, the negro

lynched by the Brunswick and Din-

widdle counties mob Wednesday morn-